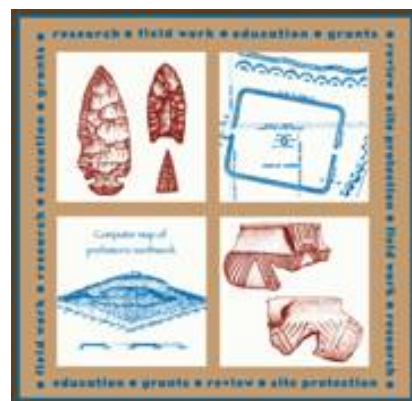


Archaeology News



- *from the Division of Historic Preservation and Archaeology (DHPA), office of the Indiana State Archaeologist*

- **Archaeology C.S.I. School Day**- Archaeology Outreach Coordinator Amy Johnson will represent the DHPA at Angel Mounds State Historic Site's Archaeology C.S.I. School Day. This one day event on May 18th is exclusively for 6th and 7th grade science classes. The day will allow students a unique opportunity to witness science in action at a working archaeological field school. Students will get up-close and personal with Cultural Scene Investigators (a.k.a. professional archaeologists). Amy will have lots of materials available for students regarding archaeology, and will focus on sharing information regarding a career in archaeology. For further information regarding this unique event in Evansville, contact Haley Tallman, Cultural Administrator at the site, 812/853-3956 or htallman@dnr.IN.gov.



- **New Director for DHPA**- Dr. James A. Glass will begin as the Director of the Division of Historic Preservation and Archaeology (and Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer) on May 21st. Many of you may already know Dr. Glass from when he previously served as DHPA director from 1990-1994.



- **Indiana Archaeology Month**- The DHPA archaeology staff are in the process of working on a "theme" for this year's Indiana Archaeology Month, and the work will begin in the next few months on the production of the products (commemorative poster and shirts). Do you want to share why archaeology is important to you, and how that could be incorporated into Indiana Archaeology Month? Do you have suggestions for a "theme", a catch phrase, suggested Indiana archaeological images, etc.? Submit your ideas to Amy at ajohnson@dnr.in.gov by May 11th— your thoughts are important to us!



We've also been receiving information from 2007 hosts. If you are going to host an event this September, feel free to complete and submit the following form to our office- <http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/archeoeventhost.html>.

- **Presentation at Carmel Care Center-** The Carmel Care Center in Hamilton County is having their elder appreciation week during the third week in May with *Treasure Your Elders* as the theme. The facility is a mix of assisted living, independent living, and nursing home. As part of the day's events, Cathy Draeger, DHPA archaeologist, will be giving a presentation to the residents on the prehistoric and historic archaeology of the surrounding area.
- **Historic Preservation Month-** May is Historic Preservation Month in our state. We are pleased to hear that several of the events which will be held during the Month will also incorporate archaeology into their activities. For more information, please check our Division webpage at <http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/>.
- **Records Check Information-** Records check appointments for qualified individuals are now available Monday through Friday, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. These slots fill up quickly, so be sure to call Laura Black, Records Check Coordinator, at 317/234-5254 as soon as you know you will need an appointment.



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Indiana Archaeology Month (September) webpage-
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**THE INDIANA DIVISION
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- Provides protection and preservation of Indiana's finite and fragile archaeological resources
- Implements the state law providing protection for archaeological sites and human remains
- Reviews, evaluates and comments upon projects that may affect archaeological resources
- Maintains standards and guidelines for archaeology in Indiana and provides technical assistance
- Promotes public education about the science through publications, training and presentations
- Offers grant funds for archaeological projects
- Maintains the repository of archaeological records and state site database